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This application claims the benefit of United States Provisional Application Number 60/237,590, filed October 3, 2000.

Enclosed are the following papers relating to the above-named application for patent:

Application – 30 pages of Specification, 9 pages of Claims and 1 page of Abstract
10 Sheets of formal drawing(s)
Declaration
Assignment with Recordation cover sheet
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Total Claims	28 - 20 =	8	x \$18 =	\$ 144
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